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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated February 1, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 113-120, 123-125, 127-135, 149, 150, and 196-224.

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